

RF Staples School Council Meeting

Nov 27, 2018 – 7pm

Next meeting date: Jan 29, 2018

Executive: Kerri Wiegand (Chair) Lisa Basisty (Sec) Shawna Vollema (Treasurer)
Ellen Barrett (Social Media) Jan Hoffart (Community Member) Skye Sekulich (Student)

A Call to Order / Welcome & Introductions / Additions & Amendments to Agenda

B Adopting of Agenda / Adopting of Minutes from Sept 25, 2018

C Old Business

C1 – Vaping Presentation by Jack Adkins – Tues October 16

C2 - Alberta School Council Assn. workshops in Barrhead from 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Was Oct 23 - SCHOOL COUNCIL PURPOSE & THE WORK OF SCHOOL COUNCIL: IT'S NOT ABOUT THE MEETING!

Wed, January 16, 2019 -- EFFECTIVE ENGAGEMENT

Wed, March 20, 2019 -- CREATING SCHOOL COUNCIL PLANS

C3 - Council of School Council Meeting – Tues Nov 6 – Barrhead
meeting of all PHS school council chairpersons

C4 – Operation Education – save (or get a duplicate) of your BP's & McD's receipts!
Turn in to office – proceeds go to RF parent fundraising committee
just over \$1000 have been received since 2013

D New Business

D1 – get Pembina Hills Public Schools news! - subscribe at www.phpschools.ca – button on left side

D2 – upcoming FOCUS Presentations (jr. high) – Mr. Wiks

D3 – Facebook poll – Any suggestions on how casino funds could be spent
to enhance student learning at RF? (Funds cannot be spent on personnel/wages.)

Responses:

Purchase graphing calculators that students can rent or check out from the library.

Ask each grade for 10 things they wish for

Junior High students could use new text books (if they weren't replaced this year)

High school lockers-some are in very bad condition. (And Jr. High) x2

Band instruments haven't been updated in over 15 yrs. Many are beyond repair x4

Comfortable seating in cafeteria for kids to study/socialize.

Tables in the cafeteria. More as well as replacements.

Updated Jersey for jr. High

Science labs

Ask the students and staff to give a top ten list of wants and needs. Then parents who worked the casino and attend the meetings can vote to figure out how much gets distributed where.

Debit machine in the cafeteria

E Principal's Report

F Questions for Administration

1- Bathroom doors – has the removal produced desired outcome?

G Student's Report from Skye Sekulich

How do the students feel about not having bathroom doors on the bathrooms in the cafeteria?

What could be purchased to enhance student learning?

What recent change at RF has been a really good thing?

Is there something that could be changed to make RF better?

And any other comments she would like to share with the parent group of School Council.

H Trustee's Report & Questions

I Adjournment